

**One Hundred Seventh Legislature - First Session - 2021**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB239**

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**Chairperson: Senator Curt Friesen**

**Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications**

**Date of Hearing: January 26, 2021**

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 239 would allow for the use of handheld wireless communication devices only by voice commands or single-touch activation, also known as hands-free mode, when operating a motor vehicle.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Robert Hilkemann**